

## Grade 5 BLM 3- 2: Using the 5 W's to Analyze Charity Web Sites

<b>WHO</b>	Who has created the site? Who sponsors the site? Do you need to use <a href="http://www.easywhois.com">www.easywhois.com</a> ? Does the government support this organization and how?	
<b>WHAT</b>	What charity is the site offering (money, service, or skills)? What is the mission statement of the site? Is the information biased? Does the site use loaded language or make broad, unsubstantiated claims? Can the information be verified through other sources?	
<b>WHEN</b>	When was it posted? When was it last updated? <a href="http://www.easywhois.com">www.easywhois.com</a> answers some of these questions.	
<b>WHERE</b>	Where is the web page located? Is it part of another site? Where can you get this service?	
<b>WHY</b>	Why would I use this site as a credible charity to receive or give? What amount of their donations goes to recipients verses operating costs? Can I verify what they claim? Does this site promote the well-being of individuals?	
<b>Safety Tips</b>	Do you have to join a group? What personal information do you have to provide?	
<b>Other Questions</b>		

\*easywhois.com lets you know who the author of a site is.